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LOUISVILLE BOARD OF TRADE

Calls a Convention of the Friends of Immigration.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Sept. 25, '94.

TO THE PEOPLE OF KENTUCKY:

The Louisville Board of Trade, after conferring with representative citizens in nearly every part of the State hereby calls a

CONVENTION OF THE FRIENDS OF IMMIGRATION

To meet in the Exchange Hall of the Board of Trade, in the City of Louisville, at 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, October 24, 1894, to discuss, consider and inaugurate plans for calling attention to the many advantages Kentucky has to offer as a place of residence for intelligent and industrious home seekers, and taking practical steps to invite and induce such people to come among us and find homes.

Kentucky has natural advantages over many other States and countries. She lies in the latitude and has the climate best adapted to the health and physical comfort of man; she does not suffer from the extremes of heat and cold like the States to the South or North of us; she is well watered throughout her entire extent by unfailing springs, creeks and rivers. She has more lands bordering on navigable rivers than any other State in the Union, and a greater variety of crops can be grown at a profit than in almost any other State. She has vast quantities of land for agricultural purposes which may be had cheap; rich but undeveloped mines, and extensive forests of valuable timbers.

Every year thousands of intelligent and industrious men with sufficient capital to make a start in life, and in many cases with ample means for large investment, leave Europe, others the more crowded localities of our Eastern and the severer climate of our Northern States and Canada, and seek new homes and scenes of operation better suited to their conditions and desires.

They are passing Kentucky by; not because she is not well adapted to their wants, but simply because she is doing nothing to call attention to herself and holding out no friendly invitation.

The States to the West, the South, and the Southeast of us are looking to their interests and are getting this valuable population. The people of Kentucky are gradually realizing that while others, and in many respects less favored sections of the country, have grown in power and riches a vast domain in their midst has been overlooked and neglected.

The facts are only too apparent that we have been content to drift along with the tide, while our neighbors have put forth their entire strength and best efforts to gain advantages which should have claimed our attention long ago.

The United States census shows that there were 10,981,478 acres of improved farming lands in the State of Kentucky in 1890. In 1890 there were still 9,593,347 acres, a reduction of only 1,388,131 acres in forty years. Is it not time to consider plans to utilize this immense territory and secure for Kentucky the increase in wealth and population which we are justly entitled to?

All around us the battle for supremacy is going on, and Kentucky can not afford to be indifferent to her opportunities.

Nearly every Southern State has its Immigration Agent in the field securing the attention of settlers and disseminating reliable information regarding their respective advantages, and by direct agencies disposing of surplus properties and introducing a good class of new settlers.

While our hospitality should be boundless, our invitation to come and find homes among us should be extended to such as are, or are qualified and willing to become patriotic and law abiding American citizens.

Pauper immigrants with nihilistic tendencies are not wanted, nor should any of that class be tolerated.

Believing that the existing conditions favor it, the Board of Trade commences the agitation of an Immi-

gration Conference to be held in Louisville this Fall, and after considerable in various parts of the State were secured, and looking at these facts and conditions from the standpoint of the general interest and welfare of the people of the whole State, the Louisville Board of Trade believes the time has come to act.

Every city, town, county, Board of Trade, Commercial Club, Chamber of Commerce and Agricultural Association is invited and urged to send not less than five delegates to the Convention, and all public spirited citizens who take an interest in the subject of immigration, are also earnestly invited to be present.

The mayors of cities and towns, county judges, presidents of commercial organizations, and agricultural associations are asked to at once name representative delegates or provide for their selection. The railroads and steamboats doing business in the State are taking an interest in the movement and have agreed to sell tickets to the convention and return for one fare. All delegates appointed and all others who expect to attend the convention are requested to send in their names and address to the "Secretary of the Board of Trade, Louisville," so that suitable provision may be made for all.

The Board of Trade in taking the initiative in this important matter, does not assume to map out plans for the convention, or to circumscribe its work in any way. It merely desires to call the serious attention of the good people of the State to certain facts and conditions that have close relations with our general welfare, and to invite them to assemble in conference in this city to discuss and act upon them.

From letters already received from the leading citizens in all parts of the State, it is believed the convention will be a success, and that the event will mark a new epoch in the history of our State. The State of Kentucky has need of your wisdom and advice; he city of Louisville invites you to come, and the Board of Trade will gladly welcome you.

CHAS. T. BALLARD,
Pres. Louisville Board Trade.
Jas. F. Buckner, Jr., Sec'y.

JAMES PIERCE BIVOUAC.

Confederate Veterans of Caldwell, Crittenden, Livingston and Lyon Counties Organize a Camp.

Princeton, Ky., Oct. 14.—The ex-Confederate soldiers of the surrounding counties met here yesterday pursuant to a published notice and organized a bivouac, and christened it the James Pierce Bivouac, in honor of the late Capt. James Pierce, who organized a company here known as the Third Kentucky Infantry in 1861, and was killed in the battle of Shiloh. There were a large number of those who were the gray present, among them many who had not seen each other since the downfall of the Confederacy, and such a happy meeting as it was is indescribable. The veterans met and marched in a body to a hall, where they organized with about sixty members. Gen. H. B. Lynn was elected President, Maj. T. G. Johnson, Vice President and Robert Vannerson, Secretary.

Four counties, Caldwell, Lyon, Crittenden and Livingston, are embraced in the organization, and it will be one of the largest bivouacs in the State when completed. On account of so many not being able to be present, they adjourned to meet again on the 10th of November, when all plans will be perfected.

A Surplusage of Convicts.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 13.—The Mason-Ford company has addressed a letter to the governor, declaring that the limit fixed by the law to the number of convicts at Eddyville had been reached and that from to-day the company will not issue rations or clothing for more than 432 convicts. This will require the state to provide for the support of more than 100 idle convicts.

People of sedentary habits, who are subject to constipation, can regulate their bowels by the use of Ayer's Pills.

ARE MATCHED.

Fitz and Corbett

FOR A PURSE OF \$41,000 AND A SIDE BET OF \$10,000.

Will Fight Under the Auspices of the Florida Athletic Club.



JAMES J. CORBETT.

New York, Oct. 11.—There now seems to be very little doubt that, barring accident to either man, the heavy weight champion, Corbett, will defend his title against Bob Fitzsimmons. Today the men met in the office of a newspaper of this city, and after an hour's parley they and their managers came to terms.

Jacksonville, Florida, will again be the scene of the encounter, as the representatives of the Florida Athletic Club, Manager Charles Smith and Joe Vondra, succeeded in making arrangements which proved satisfactory to both pugilists, and the club can name any day after July 1, 1895, to bring the contest off.

Fitzsimmons and Capt. Glori, his manager, with a company of enthusiastic partisans from Philadelphia and Newark, were the first to reach the rendezvous. Soon W. A. Brady, Corbett's manager, appeared, but Corbett was slow in putting in an appearance. When he did arrive he walked immediately over to the table at which Fitz was sitting, and, after removing his overcoat said:

"Well, Fitz, I am here to make a match."

"That is what I am here for, too," said Fitzsimmons.

Then turning to his manager, Capt. Glori he introduced him to Corbett and said:

"My manager will be my spokesman on this occasion."

Capt. Glori sat down to the table facing Corbett and Fitzsimmons stood before them. The first words Corbett said were:

"Where is your money?"

Glori replied: "Here is \$1,000 to bind the match."

Corbett immediately pulled out a roll of ten \$1,000 bills, and placing them on the table said:

"You people talked about a \$10,000 side bet. There is my money; cover it."

"But, Mr. Corbett, you don't expect us to put up \$10,000 right away," said Capt. Glori. "You are rich and we are not."

Corbett smiled sarcastically and said:

"Where is that \$60,000 you have been talking so much about? There is no use in your playing that poverty gag. It is too stale."

Word followed word, and a small cyclone was evidently brewing, but it passed away again as Corbett finally said:

"Well, here, I'll put up my \$10,000 now, and you can put your's up when you like."

Fitzsimmons manager finally consented that the fight might come off after the first of July, and the men, with their manager, retired to a side room to have a few minutes' private conversation. When they came out again they came over to the table and articles of agreement were discussed. Both men announced their willingness to sign, but as that would be against the laws of this State, the articles will not be signed here. The articles will be similar to those signed by Corbett and Sullivan in 1892.

As soon as this arrangement was made the question of a purse was considered. There were three men in the room ready to make offers, viz: Capt. Washburn and School of New Orleans clubs; President Schoonmaker, of the Empire club, of the same city, and Joe Vendig, of the Florida Athletic club, Jacksonville.

Said Corbett, "I have agreed to fight, and we want to know who will offer the largest purse."

School said: "The Olympic Club will give \$25,000."

Capt. Williams said that he had already offered \$25,000 and half of the gate receipts.

Joe Vendig raised the ante, and as he threw five \$1,000 bills on the table said: "The Florida Athletic Club will give \$30,000."

School raised the ante to \$40,000, and Vendig went one thousand better. School said he would give \$50,000, but as he was not prepared to make a deposit, Corbett said he would sign with Jacksonville. Fitzsimmons objected for awhile, but finally consented to sign for Jacksonville.

The club will allow five thousand dollars to each man for training expenses, and the men will train for three months for the fight.

Before the negotiations had been completed Corbett turned to Fitzsimmons and said: "Fitz, you said that when you met me you would shake your finger in my face."

"No I did not," said Fitz doggedly, "I never said such a thing about you and I think you did say it about me."

"Oh no; you're too much of a gentleman," said Corbett sneeringly; "but if I made such a remark I would make it good."

The knees of both pugilists were not questionable compliments, and it appeared as though a storm was about to burst, but nothing came of it.

EVIDENCES OF PROSPERITY.

Receipts of the Treasury Increasing, and the Gold Reserve Steadily Increasing.

Washington, Oct. 11.—The receipt and expenditures of the Treasury continue to show a healthy condition, as appears from the statement for the first ten days of the month. The receipts today are over \$1,000,000 and of this \$670,000 were from customs. The indications are that the receipts from this source will continue to grow under the operation of the new tariff. This is one of the many proofs of the great revival of business. The McKinley law created a deficiency from the day it was passed. The excess of expenditures so far during the fiscal year since July are only \$2,000,000, while for the same time last year the deficiency was over twenty millions. In addition the gold reserve is gradually increasing. A cheerful air pervades the Treasury, which is in striking contrast to the gloom prevailing last year, when the officials were wrestling with a bankrupt treasury left by the Harrison Administration. The cash balance in the Treasury today was \$118,723,682; gold reserve \$60,048,544.

ADLAI'S TOUR.

He Will Do Illinois, Missouri and New York.

Bloomington, Ill., October 14.—Vice President Stevenson arrived in this city Saturday night and will leave in the morning for Paris, Ill., where he will speak tomorrow. He will speak in Illinois all this week and will deliver an address in St. Louis Saturday night. He will also make ten speeches in Missouri, on the 22d and 23d. Crossing the State on a private train he will make a similar tour in New York on the 26th and 27th. On the 29th he will speak in Detroit, Michigan, on the 31st at Peoria, Illinois, on the first of November in Joliet, Illinois, on the 2d in Chicago, and on the 3d at Springfield and Decatur.

BAG BIG MONEY.

Train Robbers Make In \$180,000 Last Night.

A Hold-Up on the R. F. and Potomac Road.

SEVEN MEN TAKE COMPLETE POSSESSION.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 12.—The northern bound passenger train on the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad which left here at seven o'clock tonight, was held up near Quantico. The engineer and fireman were forced from their engine and the engine cut loose and sent ahead. The express car was then entered, the messengers covered with revolvers and the safe blown open and robbed. The runaway locomotive was stopped at Quantico by obstructing the track.

The express messenger, B. Crutchfield, and his helper, H. Murry, barred the doors of the express car, but these were blown open with dynamite. After the robbery the thieves made off with their booty in the direction of the Potomac river, where it is supposed they had a boat in waiting to take them to the Maryland side; none of the robbers entered the passenger coaches. The operator at Brooks, six miles from Quantico, discovered that the engine was "wild" as it passed his station and telegraphed to Quantico, where a switch was thrown so that it was brought into collision with two loaded freight cars and wrecked them. Had the locomotive been permitted to pass Quantico it would have collided with the southbound passenger train. When the train had come to a full stop and the two robbers were joined by five others. The robbers blew the express car open with dynamite and picked out the packages containing the money. The express messenger said that the safe contained \$15,000. It is thought the total amount will reach one hundred and eighty thousand dollars. A large amount of this money was shipped from Richmond. None of the passengers were molested.

ANOTHER.

Sacramento, Cal., Oct. 12.—The train robbery which occurred last night about seven miles beyond Napa, at a crossing known as Sheep Cut, was a daring crime. Four sacks of coin were secured from the express car, and messenger Jack Paige barely escaped with his life. The sum stolen amounted to about fifteen hundred dollars.

Prot. Taylor's Platform.

Prof. H. K. Taylor, a prominent Louisville educator, is a candidate for Superintendent of Public Instruction. A card announcing his candidacy, subject to the action of the Democratic party, also announces his platform as follows:

First—Earnest efforts to establish graded schools in all communities of sufficient population.

Second—Unification in sympathy and interests of collegiate, academic and public schools.

Third—An enthusiastic and judicious field campaign by the Superintendent in visiting institutes and other educational meetings; aiding in the establishment of graded schools, and securing personal information as to the working of the system.

Fourth—Less tinkering with the law and more practical work to enforce it.

Fifth—Let the Superintendent be a personality, and let his work be the execution of plans rather than the perfection of theories. Your support is solicited, not on the ground of sentiment, sentiment or effete custom, but with an appeal to the above proposed reforms in the educational interests of Kentucky.

Kentucky Synod.

The Synod of Kentucky was in session at Paducah, from Tuesday to Friday night of last week. It is bounded by the Kentucky State lines, and is composed of the following Presbyteries:

Ebenezer—27 churches, 15 ministers, 2,809 members.

Louisville—45 churches, 34 ministers, 4,559 members.

Muhlenburg—16 churches, 4 ministers, 1,904 members.

Paducah—18 churches, 11 ministers, 1,844 members.

Transylvania—33 churches, 18 ministers, 4,083 members.

Totals—churches, 156; ministers, 103; members, 17,625.

It meets annually, and if a full attendance is made, it would have 259 members, as each minister is ex-officio, a member, and each church is entitled to one delegate.

THE NEWS.

Japan has been whipping China some more.

The average condition of corn in Kentucky is 77 per cent.

The Tammany Democrats have nominated Nathan Strauss for mayor.

The railroads will carry seed grain free to the destitute districts in Western Kansas.

Five men were killed by an explosion in a coal mine at Shamokin, Pennsylvania.

The storm along the coast of New England disabled many vessels and drowned many people.

The Georgia Legislature is composed of 219 members; of these 50 are Populists and three Republicans.

The World's half dollars are to be issued at their face value in exchange for gold. There are 3,500,000 in the Treasury.

Arbor Day November 9th. The Governor hopes the children will be given a holiday, and no doubt the children hope so too.

The funeral services of Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes were brief and simple, and his body was deposited at Mt. Auburn.

The birth of Father Matthew, the apostle of temperance, was celebrated at Chicago Wednesday, by a large parade and mass meeting.

Now that Gov. McKinley has finished his tour of speeches, the Democrats should send out Vice President Stevenson as a counter irritant.

Gov. Tillman, of South Carolina, has suspended all military officers who refused to obey his orders during the riots growing out of the attempt to enforce the dispensary law.

Adlai Stevenson is looming up in the distance as a presidential possibility. He is a Western man with Western impulses, and the next nominee must possess these virtues.

Gov. Brown and ex-Governor Buckner, both candidates for the United States Senate, are advocating the idea that the Democratic State Convention date. This means that they favor the election of Senators by the people.

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 11.—Amos Tyson, colored, for murdering a Mr. Carey, and Jackson Bricks, colored, for murdering another negro, Amos Peet, were hanged here by the sheriff today. They dropped from the same beam at the same moment, and the neck of each was broken. They met death under the influence of religious enthusiasm, each avowing his confidence that he was on his way straight to glory.

Up in Magoffin county the county officers have been adding to their revenue by assessing fictitious lands; the State paid the assessor for listing land not in existence. The sheriff sold the lands for State taxes and bought them for his fees, and the clerk recorded the sales and collected his fees from the auditor. State Inspector Gardner has unearthed the fraud and the grand jury will look after the enterprising county officers.

OSCAR MORTON HANGED.

He Fatally Shot Sheriff Sims, of Lee County, Ky.

Beattyville, Oct. 14.—Oscar Morton was taken from jail here about 2 o'clock this morning and hanged by a mob of one hundred men. He had been placed in jail late yesterday afternoon for fatally shooting William Sims, Sheriff of this county. The Sheriff had attempted to arrest Morton for creating a disturbance at the county fair. Morton, who was intoxicated, drew two pistols and began firing recklessly. He fired five shots, three taking effect in Sims' body, and from which he died in twenty minutes. During the firing an unknown bystander shot Morton in the face, breaking the jawbone. Citizens took Morton to jail, where he remained until the mob quietly aroused the jailer and demanded the prisoner. He was hanged to a bridge near the town. Morton was from Breathitt county, where he was under \$300 bond for killing James Wilson three months ago. Morton's father heard of his arrest here and hastened here last night. He was camped in the forest, within two hundred yards of where his son was hanged but knew nothing of his fate until this morning.

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T. B. LYNCH, Gen'l Pass. Agent, LOUISVILLE, KY.
HOWARD HOLLY, District Pass. Agent, KENTUCKY, TENN.
W. J. MCBRIDE, Trns. Pass. Agent, LOUISVILLE, KY.

G. J. GRAMMER, Asst. Gen'l Manager, LOUISVILLE, KY.

A. M. Bailey, a well known citizen of Eugene, Oregon, says his wife has been for years troubled with chronic diarrhoea and used many remedies with little relief until she tried Chamberlain's cholera, cholera and diarrhoea remedy, which has cured her sound and well. Give it a trial and you will be surprised at the prompt relief it affords. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Moore & Orme.

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The Press.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

No political party will bring the millennium.

It Uncle Sam's gold reserves gets short again, he could probably borrow from the train robbers.

It looks as if the Mason-Board Company will eternally keep up a nuisance in Kentucky prison matters.

Secretary Carlisle has been invited to make a speech at Louisville, and hopes to accept the invitation.

The women of San Bernardino, Cal., have met in Convention and nominated a full county ticket.

A dispatch from Harrisburg, Pa., says: "Iron and steel mills in the locality are enjoying a period of unprecedented prosperity."

Good men for Justice of the Peace. Remember that the county finances are in the hands of the Board of Magistrates. It is an important place.

Breakridge's Democracy is all right, no matter if he is off on some other things. He will make speeches for Queen in the Ashland district.

Capt. W. J. Stone is making some telling speeches over the district in behalf of the ticket and John Hendricks. The Captain does not sink in his test nor go off after strange gobs.

The South Carolina dispensary law may be passed upon by the Supreme court of the United States. The city of Aiken has given notice that it will appeal to that great tribunal.

The Superintendent of the Arkansas penitentiary wants the convicts used in building a railroad for the State, and will recommend legislation with this view.

The District Supreme court has denied the application of the Miles Sugar Manufacturing Co. for a mandamus to compel Secretary Carlisle to pay the sugar bounty this year.

Those mountain counties are trying to keep pace with us. Barry Rich was hung. Two of those counties have made a sickly attempt to imitate that affair—and they succeeded.

The men who committed violence during the great railroad strike are now having a rough time, for the courts are punishing them. Long terms of imprisonment is the justice.

The general public is daily growing more interested in the attempts to construct air ships. As a means of transportation the railroads are being cast aside, the passengers who are not smashed up in accidents are held up by bandits.

The New York turkmen have raised a fund of \$1,000,000 to defeat the constitutional amendment because it prohibits gambling of all kinds in that State; even pool selling is abolished. If gambling, and especially pool selling, is prohibited, there would not be so much money to make the mare go.

A Nebraska firm of distillers has succeeded in making liquor from sugar beet molasses. It is claimed that the process will make liquor cheaper. For the real, substantial good it does, liquor is already cheap enough, and he who makes it cheaper is not altogether a philanthropist.

In his annual report the Commissioner of Pensions places the total number of pensioners at 969,544, and the total amount paid last year at \$139,891,461. During the year there were added 39,085 new names and 2,398 under suspension were restored. From deaths and other causes 37,951 were dropped.

The Hopkinsville Kentuckian has moved into a handsome brick office, constructed especially for itself and adapted to all the wants, necessities and pleasures of a first class semi-weekly newspaper. The Kentuckian and its genial editor are prominent and useful features of Western Kentucky civilization.

Marion folks are always up early enough to catch the train, and they catch had colds without exertion, they catch "hail columbia" from the pulpit sometimes and catch the measles, mumps, etc., on short provocation, but not a mother's son of them can catch the burglar who is numerous infesting the town.

Somebody has figured out the income tax of W. W. Astor, the New York millionaire. He will pay the government annually \$177,920, but after paying this out of his annual income he will have \$8,718,030 left. Of course this tax is a hardship, but it really seems to us that a fellow could have a good deal of fun with what he has left.

Fielden, the anarchist who was pardoned by Gov. Altgeld, has concluded to get some satisfaction out of life by going to work on a farm; he says he will agitate his anarchistic views no longer, notwithstanding he still believes in them.

If all the fellows who are trying to stir up the devil generally over the country will, like Fielden, betake themselves to some honest calling, they will get more satisfaction out of life, and life will be more satisfactory to the rest of us. If the disorganizers in general would spend as much energy in improving the opportunities our great country affords for the cultivation of peace and prosperity, as they do to tear down and belittle the existing order of things, this part of the world would be the happier for it.

There are still some nagging features about the Administration at Washington. James H. Blaine, United States District Attorney at Chattanooga, Tenn., has been notified by Attorney General Olney that District Attorneys are not to take an active part in political work. Blaine was expected to take the stump. Such rulings "take the cake."

The sons and daughters of Jay Gould have erected a church at the birthplace of their father, and presented it to the congregation at Rensselaer, New York. Those sons and daughters have a perfect right to erect that church, and give it to whom they please, but they should not credit themselves with a religious act in the matter. They worship Gould, not the lowly Nazarene, who said to a certain ruler: "Sell all that thou hast, and distribute unto the poor."

We are authorized to announce Mr. J. W. Mabey a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Dycusburg district. Mr. Mabey is a good, sound, solid, sensible citizen, and possesses the qualifications necessary to make a good officer, and doubtless if chosen will reflect credit upon his district. He will appreciate your vote and promises if elected a faithful discharge of duty, and a careful guarding of every interest intrusted to his care.

Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge has been suspended from communion by Mt. Hope Presbyterian church until February, 1895. He made an open confession of his guilt, and asked the prayers and love of his brethren in leading a christian life. While the officers thought his repentance sincere, they also decided that the great publicity of his sin demanded some public action.

Hendricks and Keys.

Messrs. Hendricks and Keys, the Democratic and Populist nominees for congress, addressed a fair sized audience at this place Saturday afternoon. We presume the Populists were pleased with the efforts of their clever champion, and we know the error of John Hendricks. Mr. Keys went over about the same ground he covered in his former speech at this place; he is inclined to base his canvass upon the platform of his district convention rather than that of his national convention, and in an able, convincing, masterly way his opponent called attention to the difference in the two platforms, showed the fallacy of the doctrine, and advocated the Democratic ideas in an able manner as they were ever presented to a Crittenden audience. John Hendricks is a plain, fearless, unequivocal, convincing speaker. He is a Democrat to the core, and as a member of congress will reflect great credit upon this district. No better man could have been found for this canvass, and no man could have conducted it in an abler, fairer way.

A BUSINESS MAN'S THANKS-GIVING.

Isidor Straus, Philanthropist and Public Spirited Citizen.

I have just come from Washington, have a thousand and one things to attend to in the three days intervening between now and the day I sail for Europe; yet I suppose a man no matter how busy, may pause and consider what really there is to be thankful for, and that with profit to himself and others. Of course I send up a thanksgiving that congress has adjourned and gone home, that the tiresome tariff question has been answered, at least for a while; that the horizon of the industries of the country has been cleared, and that business men have something definite now to work on.

But most of all, I am glad that the venomous heads of the great trusts have shown themselves in such a way as to leave no doubt in the minds of the public what tariff for protection produces.

As for Republican criticism to the tune that the Democrats have not fulfilled their promises—oh well, it sounds very much like the sinner who criticizes the failure of religion because it has not succeeded in wiping out all the rascality from the face of the earth.

If we are to give thanks, as a nation for our liberty, our prosperity, then we can thank God sincerely for the improvement, especially in the industrial condition of the country, over last year. It may not be exactly a Utopian condition, but any way it is better than it was last Thanksgiving Day, and surely we can be thankful for a step forward, be it ever so small. From "What Have We To Give Thanks For?" From Dearest's Magazine for November.

The Schools as I Find Them.

Space in the Press being offered, I will attempt to tell you, from time to time, something of the schools as I see them. In these articles I shall attempt to be perfectly candid, and state things as I understand them. Should I make a mistake I invite criticism and correction. Should I give fuller reports of some schools than others, just consider that I had more time or felt more in a mood to write.

My first visit was to Olive Branch. Miss Annie McConnell is teaching. The district reports 50 pupils; 50 have been enrolled and 51 were present. This is unusual attendance and speaks well for the teacher, as this is her second term at that place. I reached the school at morning recess and spent the rest of the day. I ate dinner under the trees with the teacher and pupils and felt for a time like a school girl again. In the afternoon two of the trustees and a number of parents came in; they brought with them an excellent set of maps and charts, the children being greatly interested in them. The trustees proposed to pay for them by subscription. The school appears to be doing well; the teacher was working hard, the pupils studying well, the order was very good. The only defect I noticed was a slight disposition on the part of the "new town" to be a little too neighborly; this grows out of being too much crowded, the house is too small and the seats not sufficient. The building of a new house was discussed and before another year goes by we may expect a nice new house in that district—and good furniture, too, if Olive Branch still has the progressive spirit it used to have.

My next visit was in my home district, Coppens Spring, Sept. 19. Miss Nellie Walker is teaching. It is a pretty place with an excellent spring. A nice new school house has taken the place of the old log house in which your humble servant gathered "education." While examining the new folding desks my mind went back to the board that I put on pegs in one corner that I might "pepper" without bending myself into an interrogation point. Then I thought of the open floor, the old wood stove and the cold toes we usually kept somewhere about us. I am glad that the children have comforts that I could not have. The district numbers 47 pupils, more than fifty per cent were in attendance. The order was very good, as good as I have seen, much better than it used to be when I was there. Did you ever think, parents, that an improvement in "your children?"

This is Miss Walker's second term; both have been taught at this place. The children are working well; the only criticism I could make was that the pupils did not speak as distinctly. Several had results, which I will not stop to enumerate, are liable to follow this habit; teachers should attempt to have it amended. I would suggest that teachers who find this trouble in their school should never repeat what the child says, but require him to repeat until all have understood. I have great faith in Miss Walker's success as a teacher; she is energetic, industrious and deeply interested in the children under her care. I believe I will tell something on her at the risk of her displeasure. As we were walking home that evening through the woods over the hill we came to a log across the path. She said, "That log has been a great help to me in teaching. Every morning when I come to this log I think, now if anything comes up today that is unpleasant, I am not going around it, I'll go over it like I go over this log." May not that suggestion help some other teacher when beset with difficulties. She said something else that pleased me better; she said she never went into the school room until she had asked God to guide her and bless her efforts.

September 20 I visited Miss Cora Gardner's school. She is in Sugar Grove district, No. 37. I had not intended to visit her that day, but finding school dismissed in an adjoining district I went over there without notifying her, but I found a clean floor, a neat teacher and a well behaved school. The attendance was not very large on account of work at home. Among the first things that attracted my attention were a motto and exercises for little children printed on the board. The teacher was easy, dignified and impressive; these are very important qualities in persons who are to stand continually as models for little children. This is her fourth term at this place, and there appears to be a strong bond of sympathy and love between her and the children. The house and seats are not very good. I hope the people will make up their minds to have better ones soon.

Next day I visited Blowing Spring district No. 38. Edwin Walker is teaching. The district numbers 75; about fifty per cent were present. The teacher's register showed much better attendance, a number were away on account of a protracted meeting. They have a good, new house and tolerably good seats of the kind but they have no desks. They will finish paying for the house this year, then they will improve its furniture. The teacher is pleased with his school and the school is pleased with its teacher—so far as I was able to learn. I was greatly interested by every exercise and especially with the programme about noon, when the teacher and one of the girls put their fingers together and invited me to join in the proceedings.

One of the convictions most forcibly impressed on me by visiting is that the teachers of this country are a hard working class of people. If any of you have a different opinion, I invite you to go with me next week and see for yourself.

M. WHEELER.

Teachers Association.

Crittenden county teachers' joint association for the year Marion precinct met, pursuant to call of county superintendent on Oct. 13th, 1894. County Superintendent presiding; prayer by W. E. Wilcox; M. F. Pogue was appointed secretary. The following members enrolled:

H. A. Ward, W. F. Flannery, R. B. Gase, C. E. Towery, F. A. Caslin, R. M. Allen, A. F. Crider, Chas. Evans, W. A. Blackburn, and Misses May Jackson, Mattie Kevill, Jennie Clement, Mary Moore, Della Kevill and Messrs. W. Adams, B. E. Martin, J. G. Wood, P. E. Ward, J. B. Parry, J. B. Simpson, G. A. Lowry, John Reynolds, Ed. Walker, E. E. Thurman, U. G. Hughes, W. F. Mott.

The following places were placed in order for holding the next association: Shady Grove, Dycusburg, Tola, Weston and Union; Shady Grove, Weston Tola and Union were elected.

On motion it was decided to hold these district associations on Saturday in each month, following pay day. It was also carried to hold a session during the holidays—on Saturday following Christmas.

The district vice presidents were ordered to prepare programmes for association work of their respective districts.

The following programme was carried out: Easy, Miss Kevill; gait, or how we walk; easy, Chas. Evans; rigid routine work in schools, its pernicious effect on schools. The following teachers testified in experience meeting: W. E. Wilcox, Chas. Evans, W. C. M. Travis, E. E. Thurman, R. B. Gase, B. E. Martin, Miss Mattie Kevill and others. A motion was made tendering Miss Reynolds a large bill, for her in our institute work. A motion was carried considering the minutes of the Annual Teachers Institute as already published and that Mr. R. C. Walker be paid for publishing same out of institute fund. Institute adjourned to meet at Shady Grove on first Saturday in next month.

M. F. POGUE, Sec. DYCUSBURG

Rev. J. W. Oliver filled his appointment at the Baptist church Sunday and baptised two Sunday evening.

Mr. Charley McCarty of this place died Monday night of fever, after a long illness. He leaves a wife and two children and a host of friends to mourn his loss.

Mrs. Emma Scott and Misses Cora Graves and Bertie Cassidy attended the dedication of the new Catholic church at Hampton Tuesday.

Married, Wednesday night at the Grove Chapel, by Rev. Hogard, Mr. Eliska Heater and Mrs. Sallie Bunton, of Livingston county.

Miss Helen Boyd attended the teachers meeting at Kuttawa Saturday.

Mrs. M. J. Oliver is visiting Mrs. Edie Oliver of this place.

The funerals of Mrs. Mary Ann Decker and Mrs. Mary Ann Bunton were preached at Grove Chapel Sunday by Bro. Reed. They were the same christian names and were near the same age and were both warm friends and bright christian examples.

Miss Ida Harris has just received from Evansville a nice stock of millinery goods of all kinds. Her friends will do well to call and see her before purchasing elsewhere.

Miss Carrie Vosler is visiting Miss Viola Ross at Grand Rivers.

Messrs. A. M. Lowry and A. J. Baker, of Marion, spent Wednesday and Thursday in town.

SALEM.

Dr. P. R. Shelby and wife attended the fair at Princeton last week. Miss Mattie Parker is visiting in Illinois.

Mrs. Sallie Miles is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Evans.

Mrs. Carrie Brandon, accompanied by her sister, Miss Mattie Parker, left for her home in Shepherdsville Sunday.

J. T. Spears and Jim Parker, of Missouri, are shaking hands with their friends.

Hugh L. McCollum returned to his home in Tennessee last week.

Miss Ada Butler visited in Kuttawa Sunday.

A. Alvin, of Tola, was in town Monday.

T. M. George and T. H. Lowry are visiting Dr. Dick Stewart's family in Kansas.

Rev. W. H. Lightfoot filed his appointment at this place Sunday. He returned home Monday accompanied by his wife and sister-in-law, Miss Nettie Graham.

Misses Nellie and Mattie Grady, of Weston, visited relatives here last week.

C. R. Stevens says the Salem boys throw some powerful ball, and we should think so, remembering he is minus of a few front teeth, that was knocked out in the mighty hit.

Remember that Salem has prayer meeting every Friday night. "Come let us reason together," saith the Lord.

Geo. Hall attended the meeting at Grove Chapel, which was conducted by Rev. Johnson.

Thos. Evans has moved to his new residence on Main street.

Mrs. F. E. Waddington is teaching in a splendid music class at this place.

Doe Stevens has moved to his new residence on Mill street.

Jesse Farris is on the sick list.

Mrs. C. E. Browning and F. U. Matlock paid Dycusburg a flying visit Monday.

SHADY GROVE.

The speaking here last Friday by Hendricks and Keys was quite interesting to all parties. Even the Republicans, although they had no orator, were captivated and seemed fairly well pleased. Everything was pleasant except that a few of the most prominent Populists had to wince and growl a little at the home thrusts of Cousin John on the sub-treasury system. But Uncle Ben had nothing to do with and was not responsible for any platform of principles except a miniature one of his own.

Rev. Archey preached at the M. E. church last Sunday, and there were five accessions to the church, amongst the rest were Uncle Billy Kemp. Three were baptised by effusion and two by immersion. Mr. Archey tells the writer why Marion failed to get the next conference; he says that at a previous conference Madisonville was a close contestant, and promises were then made her that even the advocates of Marion had to regard when reminded of them.

Rev. Archey is a zealous worker and has made a good beginning for the new year. He starts today, Monday, to Rosebud to hold a protracted meeting.

Our druggist, John G. Asher, has gone to Louisville to attend the Masonic Grand Lodge.

S. A. Frazer does not seem to be acquainted with the Republican candidate for congress and pronounces his name with some degree of caution.

Albert East has bought the farm of G. R. Campbell, near this place, and Campbell has bought a residence in the Grove from S. C. Towery and will move to it.

Carson Nash and some parties Webster county are about to establish a tannery business on a new and quick process near this place.

Miss Nannie Frazer is visiting relatives and friends in Hopkins county.

Our physicians, Todd and McConnell, have a good deal to do, so much indeed that their political and religious duties are in danger of being somewhat neglected, unless their sacrifices in the healing art entitle them to much credit.

The writer saw Uncle Granville Clement recently. The old man bears his affliction with christian philosophy and enjoys a visit from any of his old time friends.

There is a brand new boy at S. C. Towery's; arrived last Sunday.

Junius.

FREDONIA.

Mr. P. Reeves and wife, of Tennessee, are visiting their daughter's family, Mrs. A. B. Mosely.

J. W. Suggs and wife, of Princeton, were visiting in town Sunday.

The new Methodist preacher failed to put in an appearance at the regular appointment last Sunday.

Rev. J. N. McDonald and Ed. M. B. Lowery attended the Presbytery of the C. P. church, which convened at Bayou creek last week.

Misses Lizzie and Carrie McDonald, Izetta and May Garner, were visiting at H. C. Turley's last Saturday.

R. L. Wiggington and family were visiting in Bethlehem neighborhood last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Maggie McDonald attended church at Bethlehem last Sunday.

Hons. John Hendricks and Ben Keys, candidates for congress, addressed the people here last Thursday. A man is not honest, much

less a christian, who will vote in a primary and then do just say all he can against the nominee, and there are some of that kind.

J. S. Green moves into Mr. C. N. Byrd's house Monday.

Wm. G. Glenn, of Crider, got his barn and all his tobacco burned last Saturday.

Don't forget the dedication of the Baptist church fourth Sunday and be sure to bring your basket.

Come to see Sam Howerton. We will have clerks enough to wait on you next time.

Sam Howerton.

We would advise you to come on the first and middle of the week, as Saturday is always such a busy day with us.

Sam Howerton.

Our new cloaks and capes will be in this week.

Sam Howerton.

See our clothing, the best on earth for the price.

Sam Howerton.

Our ladies hats are the finest and lowest price.

Sam Howerton.

We want everybody to give us a call, for we have come to stay, and can furnish you with anything to eat or wear at greatly reduced prices.

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Jeans pants lower than was ever heard of.

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Hats, all styles and lowest prices.

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Tom Gness and wife, of Livingston, passed through town Monday on their way to J. L. Adamson's, of Bethlehem.

Boots and shoes at prices that defy competition.

Bugg & Loyd.

Jeff Clement, of Crittenden, was in town Monday.

A large crowd went to Princeton Monday.

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Bugg & Loyd.

We want your produce and will sell our goods at prices to suit the times; you will save money by calling on us. We mean exactly what we say.

Dr. Paydon, of Livingston, was in town early Monday morning.

Obituary.

Sister Mary G. Perry was born February 25, 1812. She professed religion at the age of 12 years and joined the Methodist church; she was married to Rev. John R. Perry in 1839. "Bro. Perry died a member of the Louisville conference."

Sister Perry departed this life September 7, 1894, in Holy triumph. Two years ago I became her pastor and visited her often in her afflictions; sometimes the end seemed very near but I always found her ready to die, patient and submissive to the will of God. Her communion with the Lord deep and rich and often rapturous.

Some thirty or forty years ago she became interested in the subject of Holiness and very soon entered into the experience the Holy Ghost witnessed and abiding with her in much assurance and power, so that her experience became very rich in spiritual things. Some time after this she told me her experience was referred to by a beloved Brother for the glory of God; some one informed her about it, and she said I objected to its being done and the moment I did so I felt the union and power of the spirit leave me just as sensibly as if they had turned a bird loose; pray for me that the sweetness of that joy may be restored to me as I once enjoyed it.

After this the Lord blessed her abundantly. She was a member of the Woman's Missionary Society and was very much interested in its success. She was at the Hurricane camp meeting but was unable to leave her room; she could hear the singing, and some of the preaching and many glad, happy souls greeted her, all of which was an inspiration to her and caused her to rejoice in God her Saviour.

Shortly before she passed away she told Mrs. T. A. Minner, "I am so happy and ready to go if it is the Lord's will." Though feeble as she was, with her soul filled with rapture she began singing a beautiful song that had been a comfort to her in other days; and thus the eventide of life closed most blessedly in glorious triumph.

She leaves a son and three daughters and their families. Weep not for your dear mother, she lives with loved ones in a brighter clime above. May you all meet her on the Golden Shore.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Dr. T. H. Cossitt, Dentist, Marion.
Dr. W. J. Deboe was in Princeton Monday.

A. F. Griffith was in Eddyville Tuesday.
John Elder will build a residence in East Marion.

Dr. A. S. H. Boyd, of Tolu, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Dewey is visiting friends in Princeton this week.

An Italian band was on the streets making music Tuesday.

Frank Cossitt, of Henderson, was in town the first of the week.

Mr. Wetzel, the harness maker, has gone to Princeton to work.

Mr. Duncan Givens, a lawyer of Evansville, was in town Monday.

Rev. Barbee began a protracted meeting at Sugar Grove church Sunday.

Rev. J. F. Price left Tuesday to attend Synod at Millwood, Grayson county.

J. H. Morse has purchased the J. N. Woods stock of goods from R. F. Haynes.

Mr. John C. Herndon, candidate for State Treasurer, was in town Tuesday.

Wm. A. Smith, of Nebo, was before the board of pension examiners yesterday.

Do not fail to examine prices at Moore & Orme's before purchasing school books.

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Some of our doctors say the only healthy water about town is from the drilled wells.

Vanderburg precinct, in Webster county, will vote on prohibition in November.

F. E. Robertson is building a big ice house near the depot. He will fill it with lake ice.

If you want to buy a 50 acre farm, good land, near Marion, see R. C. Walker at once.

Mr. W. L. Clement will travel for J. Gans, the wholesale notion man, of Evansville, after Nov. 1.

Mrs. Crider, wife of Ollie Crider, a good citizen of the eastern portion of the county, died Thursday.

The price of a brood well is no comparison to good health and plenty of water. See the well drillers and be convinced.

Mr. Rankin Hammond, who has been in Evansville for some months, returned to his home in Marion last week.

Old dug wells are going dry, but we hear that drilling machine at work, and it never fails to get good and lasting water.

Near Benton the train ran over Daniel Cope, cutting his body in two. A bottle of whiskey in his pocket told the story.

Mrs. Clara Brown left Tuesday for Canyon City, Texas, where she will join her husband, who has been there some months.

The enterprising dwellers of the enterprising suburban town, East Marion, are building a sidewalk from he old to the new town.

Mr. J. H. Hillyard, formerly of this place, has gone into the book and stationery trade at Henderson. He will do both a wholesale and retail trade.

The Teachers Association was in session at this place Saturday. The next meeting will be held at Shady Grove a month from last Saturday.

We are offering special inducements on stoves for churches and school houses, we have the best stove and the lowest price.

Ex-Police Judge Yeats, of Dycusburg, will be on the Democratic ticket for magistrate in his district; John W. Mabry will be his Republican opponent.

A social was given at the residence of Dr. J. R. Clark last Saturday night in honor of the O. W. M. Club. Quite a number of young people were present.

Eli J. W. Ligon and wife, of Henderson, were in town Monday, en route home from a visit to friends at Salem. Miss Nettie Grassham accompanied them home.

Mrs. J. M. Ward, of Barlistown, Ark., returned home Monday after spending some weeks visiting friends in this county. Her mother, Mrs. L. N. McCulloch, went home with her.

Newest Styles in Dress Goods, Pierce Yandell Gugenheim Co.

Mr. Robt Paris, the flourishing miller of Lola, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Machen Wilson is with H. K. Woods, learning the drug business.

Hon. George Towery, formerly of this county, is a candidate for county judge in Webster county.

Hays Johnson was put under bond Monday to answer at circuit court the charge of carrying a concealed deadly weapon.

Marriages licenses have been issued to T. W. Folker and George Ann Woodsides; W. H. Fralick and Miss Josephine F. Vanhooser.

Our doctors attribute so much sickness about town to the water, but those using water from bored wells are not in danger.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. C. S. Nunn and Miss Lemah Barnes of this place, at the Methodist church Oct. 25.

If your water is getting low and muddy you had better see the proprietors of that drilling machine and have one drilled for them never fail.

Mr. Gus Hamcock, of Sullivan, was in town yesterday, and employed J. W. Goodloe to plaster a new residence he is building on his farm near Sullivan.

Mr. Chas. Evans spent Saturday and Sunday in Marion. He came over to attend the teachers meeting, and to plan for the opening of the graded school.

A meeting will be held at Fredonia today by a number of business men and capitalist to discuss the feasibility of organizing a bank. The prospects are that one will be started there in the near future.

"I would rather trust that medicine than any doctor I know of," so says Mrs. Hattie Mason, of Chilton, Carter county, Mo., in speaking of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy. For sale by Moore & Orme.

Some merchants are talking about the tariff being off. We are saying nothing about the tariff but are still selling goods cheaper than any one. See our advertisement in another column.

Ozment & Holdeman.

A negro named Williams was arrested at this place yesterday and took lodgings in jail last night to await orders from Princeton, where he is wanted for beating and abusing a negro woman. The only valuable goods in his possession was the usual razor, a weapon generally carried by all bad coons.

Princeton Presbytery of the C. P. church was held with Bayou Creek church last week, adjourning Thursday night. Fifteen of the nineteen churches in the Presbytery were represented. Seven ministers were in attendance. The Presbytery has seven candidates for ministerial orders. It was a very interesting meeting. The next session will be held at Fredonia.

Burglaries and attempted burglaries continue. Thursday night Claude Wheeler's meat house was relieved of a nice ham, and an attempt was made to break into the residence of Rev. W. H. Miley. Sunday night W. D. Haynes chased a would be burglar away from his window, giving him a Flying Jib gait up the railroad for a short distance.

We have often heard of a wheel within a wheel, but an egg within an egg is a novelty that Mr. W. H. Asher has brought to this office. The large size of an egg taken from his henhouse attracted attention and the shell was carefully opened and on the inside was found, in addition to what is ordinarily found in a good, fresh egg, a smaller egg, about one-third the size of the first one. The little one is perfect in shape and appearance.

The brickwork of the graded school building will be finished this week. It is an imposing structure. The house will be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies and an effort will be made to get Superintendent of Public Instruction Thompson to visit us on that occasion. The opening of the school will be an important event in the history of Marion, and it will not be allowed to go by without some demonstration to show the appreciation of the people of the community.

The colored population can give the white folks cards and spades and then beat them in church weddings. Last week there was one, and last night there were two; Miss Mary Henry Miles and Mr. Dick Cruce were united at the Baptist church by Rev. Clark, and immediately afterwards the audience adjourned to the Methodist church, where Rev. D. M. Boyd made Miss Sadie Hughes, of this place, and Mr. F. D. Blakely, of Henderson, happy in the holy bonds of wedlock. Each of the brides was dressed in white and the grooms wore the conventional black. There will be another wedding tonight.

Cloaks low down Pierce Yandell Gugenheim Co.

Dedicated

The new Catholic church building, which was erected at a cost of about \$3500, at Hampton, was dedicated with the usual appropriate ceremonies Tuesday. Among the divines in attendance were Bishop McClosky, of Louisville; Rev. W. P. Hogarty, of St. Vincent; Father Crane, and the pastor, Father Chas. Auer, the latter of Paducah. The Paducah choir furnished fine music for the occasion. A large crowd of people were in attendance. Besides those of that section, quite a number from other places witnessed the ceremonies. It was a big affair.

Dr. Paris Dead.

After a long illness Dr. J. L. Paris, of Levisa, passed peacefully away Friday night at 9 o'clock, surrounded by his family. The funeral took place at Union Sunday, Marion, Salem and Sheridan Masonic Lodges participated in the ceremonies. Dr. Paris was a native of this county but several years ago he moved to Hardin county, Ill., where he practiced medicine for many years. Some four or five years ago he returned to his native county to end his days. He was a patriotic citizen and a good man.

Capt. Crumbaugh Returned.

Capt. E. W. Crumbaugh, of the Palmer rifles, has returned from his sojourn at Crayneville, Ky., and Crittenden Springs, which lasted several weeks. He left here in an almost hopeless condition, but returned much improved in body and mind. His many friends, and especially the members of the military company, will note his return with pleasure and wish him a speedy and entire recovery. —Paducah Standard.

Almost a Fire.

Friday night, when Mr. Harry A. Haynes left his office to go home, he noticed a light shining under the door in the county judge's office; the door was locked and peering through the window from the outside Mr. Haynes discovered that the floor was in a blaze and the room filled with smoke. Water was convenient and the fire was soon mastered. A hole a foot square near the stove was burned through the floor. But for the accidental passing of Mr. Haynes, the court house would probably have been destroyed.

Church Dedication.

The Baptist church at Kelsey will be dedicated on the fourth Sunday in this month. Dr. Coleman is expected to be present and assist in the dedicatory ceremonies. Dinner will be served on the grounds and the occasion will without doubt be one of great religious interest and profit. A general invitation is extended to every one.

Rev. Miley will be formally installed pastor of the Presbyterian church the fourth Sunday, Oct. 28, by a commission of the Paducah Presbytery, composed of Revs. L. O. Spencer, who will preside, preach the sermon, and propound the constitution questions, Rev. S. M. Caldwell, who will charge the pastor, and Rev. J. G. Patton, who will charge the congregation. Services will begin at the usual hour, 11 o'clock.

Since the Owensboro Conference adjourned Rev. W. H. Archey, who was assigned to Greenville circuit, and Rev. R. T. McConnell, who was appointed to Shady Grove, have by ecclesiastical authority exchanged appointments. Rev. Archey will remain at Shady Grove, where his first year's service made him popular as a citizen and pastor.

Mrs. E. W. Smith, of St. Louis, has been seriously ill at the residence of her kinswoman, Mrs. J. H. Walker, of this place. For two days her recovery was very doubtful, and her son and two daughters were called from St. Louis. She is now much improved.

Mr. W. D. Cannon is representing the Masonic Lodge at this place in the Grand Lodge at Louisville this week. He holds a Grand Lodge office, being Very Illustrious Grand Conductor of the Council.

A tramp boarded a freight train at Sehee Wednesday night and in attempting to get off at Earlington he got caught in some way between the trucks and both legs were cut off. —Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

The people of Livingston county will be called on to vote on the liquor question at an early day. The proposition will soon be definitely submitted for consideration. —Smithland News.

Frank Cobb, colored, was badly injured in a kicking bee which a young horse instituted Tuesday, when being driven from town to Gum Grove farm.

Fred Owen was before Justice La Rue, of Hurricane, a few days since, charged with disturbing religious worship. He was fined \$20.

Dr. R. L. Moore went to Paducah yesterday to attend the Bankers' Convention.

All kinds of Dress Goods at Pierce-Yandell Gugenheim Co.

The Union County Muddle.

John Feland, attorney for the bond holders in the Union county trouble, writes a lengthy review of the case to the Uniontown News. He gives the proposition made by Mr. Morton, representing the people, to Mr. Preston, who holds the bonds, and Mr. Preston's proposition for a compromise as follows: "Mr. Preston then took Mr. Morton to his room and had a talk with him alone, in which he again proposed to allow the districts one, two or three years in which to pay the present levy and take their bonds for the remainder at 4 per cent. payable at any time within forty years and redeemable at their pleasure. Mr. Morton stated that the commissioners had already considered that proposition and that they had authorized him to say positively that it would not be entertained."

"He then offered to give Mr. Preston the face value of the bonds without any interest, and in addition five thousand dollars to pay his costs and expenses incurred in the Caseyville litigation and a proportionate amount for Lindell's Mill; provided, first, that he would accept their first per cent. bonds, at twenty or twenty-four per cent. in payment; and provided further, that before the contract or proposition should be binding on the commissioners it should be submitted to, and ratified by the people of the districts at an election to be held for the purpose."

Held Without Bail.

John Covington, who shot and killed Wm. Horney, of Marshall county, opposite Gilbertsville, in Livingston county last Friday one week ago, was arrested Friday on a warrant charging him with murder. He was taken to Smithland and his preliminary trial at once begun before Judge Abell. The testimony in the case was concluded Saturday afternoon and the court held him to answer to the charge of wilful murder. Covington is now in the Smithland jail, and as the case is not a bailable one it is likely that he will be lodged in our jail, as Livingston county's bastille is out of repair. The evidence in the case was that Horney was in Covington's cornfield stealing corn and that the latter caught him filling up a sack. Covington called to Horney and as the latter looked up he fired a charge of buckshot into his head. The men had been on bad terms for some time. The case as made out looks like a bad one for Covington. —Paducah News.

A KENTUCKY LYNCHING.

A Mob Endeavored to Make the Punishment Fit the Crime.

Princeton, Ky., Oct. 15.—Willis Griffey, the fiend confined in jail here, has paid the penalty of his crime Sunday night at 11:30 o'clock a mob of one hundred or more men entered Princeton from the northeast, well mounted on horses, went to the jail and demanded of Jailer Pool the keys. He positively refused to give them up. Pushing him aside the searched the house and found them. In the cell of Griffey a struggle ensued, but he was overcome, taken out and placed in a covered hack, and then the procession started out the Cadiz road. They entered the fair grounds, but after a brief search turned out and went on their way. The mob wore no masks and were strangers to the Jailer. Griffey is a negro, married, and he was brought here from Hopkinsville for safe keeping.

On September 3 while Miss Lena Berry, an estimable young lady, living near Lafayette, was returning from Sunday school, Griffey pounced on her and dragged her into the woods and assaulted her person. She lay unconscious in the woods for several hours, until searchers found her. Griffey fled and the matter was kept quiet. One week later he was captured near Madisonville and then the story came out. He acknowledged his guilt but through fear of mob violence he was transferred from Hopkinsville to Princeton.

The negro was hanged to a beech tree, three miles from here. The body was horribly and namelessly mutilated and generously perforated with bullets. The mob was undoubtedly from Christian county.

A Severe Kick.

George W. Watson, familiarly known as George Hawkins Watson, and Wm. Man, the former of this county and the latter of Livingston, had a little fight a few days ago, and Watson struck Man across the head with a gun, inflicting a wound that at first it was thought would prove fatal, but the wounded man is now in a fair way to recover. Watson surrendered to the county judge and his trial will be November 10, if Man is able by that time to attend.

Buy your mens and boys clothing from Pierce-Yandell Gugenheim Co.

Add Your Name.

Those who have remembered the Press this week in the shape of subscriptions are Mrs. M. J. Ward, Barlistown, Ark.; R. E. Threlkeld, Levisa; S. J. Mitchell, Salem, W. A. Newcomb, Mattoon.

More Coal.

An experienced coal miner is opening a shaft on Jack Jacob's farm, four miles South of Marion, near Crayneville, and there are the best indications for good coal. The parties have taken a lease and will make a thorough search for the black diamonds.

Hon. J. E. Butler, State Lecturer of the A. O. U. W., addressed a large audience at the court house last night. He spoke in the highest terms of the secret fraternal orders, and especially of the A. O. U. W., detailing its benefits and answering the excuses so often offered for not uniting with the lodge. His audience, composed of many of the best people of Marion, was delighted with his lecture. The A. O. U. W., is a very popular institution here, and is growing rapidly. It unquestionably affords a cheap and safe life insurance.

The Sunday School Mass Meeting will convene at the C. P. Church Sunday Oct. 21st at 3 o'clock P. M. The programme is as follows: Devotional exercises conducted by Rev. J. F. Price.

The best method to get church members to attend Sunday school.

Discussion opened by J. P. Pierce, followed by A. L. Cruce.

J. W. Blue, Jr., Henry Hodge, J. H. Morse, Committee.

Tuesday Mrs. Moore, mother of Dr. R. L. Moore, of this place, had a severe attack of vertigo, and fell forward on her face, sustaining some severe bruises.

Mr. A. L. Cruce has sold his residence in town to Wm. Fowler, and is getting ready to put up a neat residence in East Marion.

Mr. H. H. Loving moved his family to Bardwell Tuesday.

Mr. A. Dewey is visiting relatives at Princeton.

STRAYED

From the farm of G. P. Wilson, near Weston, Ky., on Oct. 15, 1894, one yearling heifer, red and white speckled unmarked; any information given as to its whereabouts will be rewarded and thankfully received. G. P. Wilson.

- Wall Paper -

Like everything has tumbled to the touch of "hard times" and I am just in receipt of a big lot of the Prettiest Paper ever shown in Marion. The late designs are things of beauty and for quality are beyond comparison. Then as to prices they are in easy reach of every one. These goods deserve your inspection. No trouble to show them.

H. K. Woods, The Druggist

All kinds of Calicoes Gingham at Pierce Yandell Gugenheim Co.

WANTED.—Bidders on the erection building and completion of the Baptist church at Princeton, Ky. Builders to furnish all material necessary except what is now on the lot. The plans and specifications will be furnished by me when called for. The church to be completed ready for occupancy by January 1, 1895. Bids will close Nov. 15.

M. J. Groom, Chairman Building Committee.

Don't commit suicide on account of your "incurable" blood disease. The sensible thing for you to do is to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. If that fails, why then—keep on trying and it will not fail. The trouble is, people get discouraged too soon. "Try, try, try again."

Farmers Insure Your Tobacco!

We are prepared to insure tobacco in barns at reasonable rates in good companies. Don't take the risk of losing your whole year's work, but come and see us and insure. Oct. 17, '94. Haynes & Crider.

Get your Cloaks from Pierce Yandell Gugenheim Co.

Special Attention.

We have been quiet for some time through the paper but here we come this week with some extremely low prices. Please look over a few we give you:

1 gallon pitcher 15cts
Four piece glass set 25cts
Set cups and saucers 25cts
Meat dishes from 15cts up.
A nice lamp 25cts
1 gal. glass oil can, 25cts
A fine lantern, 50cts
1 bushel feed baskets only 50cts
Very good broom, 10cts
6 lbs soda for 25cts
A good washboard, 25cts
Set of goblets for 20cts

These are only a few of our low prices. We invite you to come in our store to look and price our goods; it is the expression of everybody that M. H. Weldon & Son has the prettiest line of Lamps, Glassware, Queensware and Groceries ever brought to Marion, and they are selling them at prices that will sell them. They invite everybody to just come and see and they are always ready to show their goods and will appreciate your trade.

M. H. WELDON & SON.

Money Money.

Having fully decided to make a change in our business, we are now obliged to collect all money due us, right away. We feel that we have already been extremely indulgent with many of you, as we have waited on you when we had to borrow money to pay our own debts, thereby incurring an actual loss of money to ourselves; but we are now forced to say to all parties indebted to us that we must have the money at once. This is strictly a business matter with us and we can not any longer consider personal feeling or preference. It will be useless for any one to ask for an extension as we can not in justice to ourselves grant longer time to anybody. Your very prompt attention will now save you trouble and unnecessary expense, as we will be compelled to force collections if you delay the matter. We do not want to sue anybody but we must have money some way immediately.

Yours truly, PIERCE & SON.

Buy your Boots and Shoes from Pierce-Yandell Gugenheim Co.

Groceries, Saddlery, Hardware.

ALX UTLEY, Salem, Ky.

I am putting in a complete line of family groceries, and will sell at the lowest prices. Everything new and fresh.

My stock of SADDLERY, HARNESS, ETC., is complete, and my prices on these goods are at the bottom figures.

-MY LINE OF-

HARDWARE

Is such as the market demands. Do not go elsewhere to purchase. I am here for business and if low prices, fair treatment and honest goods is what you want give me a call.

ALX UTLEY, SALEM, KY.

We are authorized to announce Chas. W. Fox a candidate for Magistrate of Union precinct. He will appreciate your vote and will, if elected, serve the people to the best of his ability.

We are positively going to reduce our stock until January 1st, 1895. If you want bargains come and get them, we've got 'em.

Pierce & Son.

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BEST MADE, BEST FITTING, BEST WEARING

JEAN PANTS

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Manufactured by THE GOODWIN CLOTHING CO., EVANSVILLE, IND.

Get your boy a suit of Clothes from Pierce Yandell Gugenheim Co.

We are more than pleased with the increase in our business during the last two weeks. It now looks like the

GOOD OLD TIMES

Good Old Times

That we have been reading about are surely coming. Money seems to be more plentiful; there is more life and snap to trade; the chronic croakers have disappeared and soon everything will be as lively and prosperous as in the brighter days of the past.

ALL KINDS OF MERCHANDISE HAVE DECLINED TO

Rock Bottom Prices!

There never was a time that you could buy your goods as cheap as you can buy them now. We are selling flannels, yarns, jeans, underwear, hosiery, domestics, wide sheeting, gingham, table linens, ticking, calicoes, satins, worsteds, henriettas, cashmere, dress flannels, broadcloths, serges, blankets, skirt patterns, waterproofs, and everything in the

Dry Goods, Dress Goods and Notion Line,

AT LOWER PRICES Than You Ever Dreamed of.

IN CLOTHING,

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In most anything you should want. We have suits in all grades and styles, either round or square cut, single or double breasted. A big assortment of odd pants in cassimers, worsteds and jeans, full line of sizes and any grade you want; also a full line of jeans coats for men and boys, jumpers, overalls or anything you need in the clothing line.

We handle the Celebrated Hamilton-Brown Boots and Shoes.

Our stock in this line is full and complete, and we will make it to your interest to see them before buying whether you want one pair or a dozen. We guarantee our boots and shoes and make the guarantee good if it takes a new pair to do it. Come in and see us and look through our new stock.

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He Has a Big Stock And a Little Price.

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For Fall Business. Our NEW STORE is now completed and will be open Oct 1 with a Full and Novel stock of

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Boys' Caps, Dress Trimmings, Corsets, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Laces,

and all other goods that go make a first class store. Our motto is: New Goods, New Styles and Low Prices. We are so fortunate as to secure again the services of Miss Edna Cossitt as our trimmer, and hence are able to guarantee satisfaction.

We are also prepared to furnish our patrons with the latest cuts and fashions in Dress Making. We extend

